Sl. No.	Name of the Branch	Percentage	Share (Rs.)
20.	Gujarat	5.63	14,247
21.	Chandigarh	0.05	127
		100.00	2,53,000

During the year 1955, a sum of Rs. 15,00,000/- (Fifteen lakhs) has been released to the following six States Branches @ Rs. 2.50 lakhs for purchase of vehicles.

1. Andhra Pradesh
2. Kerala
3. Karnataka
4. Tamil Nadu
5. West Bengal
6. Himachal Pradesh.

Pre-natal Sex Determination

1025. MISS SAROJ KHAPARDE: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that despite legal prohibition the pre-natal test Amniocentesis is being freely carried out throughout the country by the Pre-natal Sex determination and Abortion Clinics and abortions of female foetus are being done without bothering for the law;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) whether any Pre-natal Sex determination and Abortion Clinics have been booked for violation of law anywhere in the country;

(d) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(e) what action Government propose to take to enforce the law on Pre-natal determination more vigorously?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A.R. ANTULAY): (a) to (e) The Pre-natal Diagnostic Techniques (Regulation and Prevention of Misuse) Bill, 1994 was passed by both Houses of Parliament in the monsoon Session of Parliament during 1994. It received the Assent of the President of India and the corresponding Act was published in the Gazette in September 1994. The rules under the Act have been framed, and the procedural formalities are now in the last stages. States and Union Territories have been advised to take advance action for constitution of the statutory machinery for implementation of the Act and rules. The Act will be brought into force very shortly, and the rules will also be notified.

Irregularities and Mismanagement in ET&T

1026. SHRI S. AUSTIN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether a Committee was appointed by Government to inquire into the alleged irregularities and mismanagement in the Electronics Trade & Technology Development Corporation (ET&T);

(b) if so, the nature of charges into which the said Committee is probing;

(c) whether the Committee has submitted its report;

(d) if so, the details of its recommendations; and

(e) if not, when the Committee is expected to submit its report?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF ATOMIC ENERGY AND SPACE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (SHRI BHUVNESH CHATURVEDI): (a) and (b) A Fact Finding Board of Enquiry was appointed to investigate into the specific complaints received from Members of Parliament and associations against the management of ET&T Limited.

(c) and (d) Yes, Sir, Based on the

report of the Fact Finding Board it has been decided to take disciplinary action against the then CMD. ET&T and other errant officials of ET&T Limited. Accordingly, chargesheet has been issued to the then CMD. ET&T and the report of the Board of Enquiry has been forwarded to the present CMD. ET&T for taking action against other errant officers.

(e) Does not arise.

Conversion of rail lines from Trichy to Nagoor

1027. SHRI PASUMPON THA. KIRUTTINAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total amout allotted for conversion of MG line into B.G. line from TRICHY to NAGOOR in Southern Railway for the year 1995-96.

(b) the amount spent on this project till October, 1995;

(c) whether Government have decided to stop the conversion work on this line;

(d) if so, what are the reasons therefore;

(e) by when this project is expected to be completed;

(f) whether the M.G. line from Trichy to Dindigul will also be converted into B.G. line; and

(g) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SURESH KALMADI): (a) Rs. 2 Crs.

(b) Rs. 3.60 crs.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise.

(e) The target date is 31-12-1997.

(f) Yes, Sir.

(g) Does not arise.

पाकिस्तान का रक्षा व्यय

1028. **प्रो० विजय कुमार मल्होत्रा:** क्या प्रधान मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) पाकिस्तान अपने वार्षिक बजट का कितना प्रतिशत रक्षा पर व्यय करता है;

(ख) क्या यह भारत की तुलना में कम है या अधिक है;

(ग) पाकिस्तान ने किन-किन देशों से कितने-कितने हथियार प्राप्त किये हैं; और

(घ) सरकार ने पाकिस्तान की हथियार वृद्धि का मुकाबला करने के लिए क्या-क्या कदम उठाये हैं?

रक्षा मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (रक्षा विभाग और रक्षा) अनुसंधान तथा विकास विभाग) (श्री मल्लिकार्जुन): (क) से (घ) उपलब्ध प्रकाशित सूचना के अनुसार वर्ष 1994-95 के लिए पाकिस्तान का रक्षा आबंटन 101.849 बिलियन पाकिस्तानी रुपए था जोकि कुल संघीय सरकारी बजट का 34.52% था। वर्ष 1995-96 के लिए, पाकिस्तान के रक्षा बजट के लिए 115.25 बिलियन पाकिस्तानी रुपए आबंटित किए गए हैं।

इन्हीं वर्षों के लिए भारत का रक्षा बजट कुल सरकारी व्यय का मात्र 14.51% और 14.81% रहा, जोकि भारतीय रुपए में क्रमशः 235.44 बिलियन रुपये और 255.00 बिलियन रुपये बैठता है।

हमारी राष्ट्रीय सुरक्षा को प्रभावित करने वाली पड़ोसी देशों की गतिविधियों और खतरे के आकलन की लगातार समीक्षा की जाती है। पाकिस्तान द्वारा विभिन्न देशों से हथियार प्राप्त करने के मामलों पर लगातार नजर रखी जाती है।

पर्याप्त रक्षा तैयारी सुनिश्चित करने के लिए सरकार समुचित उपाय करती है।